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## BOARD OF INSTRUCTION HOLD MEETING

### Elect Teachers For Eighth Grade Of High School

### A Resignation And Two Applications For Leave Of Absence Granted

### Board Opposed To Married Women For Teachers And Will Not Repeal Private Tutoring Rule.

The regular meeting of the Board of Instruction was held on Tuesday evening, with Mayor Hackett presiding and the following members present: Messrs. Leighton, Long, Howard, Houghton, Locke, McCarthy, Goodale, Mrs. Hewitt and Mrs. Benfield. The records and the usual number of bills were read and the latter were ordered paid when properly approved. The finance committee made their regular report which is as follows:

Financial Report, School Department,	
August 31, 1908	
Instruction	
Salaries of teachers	\$20,008.75
Transportation	103.24
Total \$20,112.00	

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Teacher's desk and office supplies	\$6.70
General expenses	65.02
Equipment	\$20320.17
Apparatus - maintenance	\$81.00
Apparatus - additional	3.90
Text-books - renewals	35.19
Text-books - additional	115.06
Plant	\$235.15
Salaries of janitors	\$2009.04
Coal	2808.44
Wood	56.21
Lighting	10.38
Routine repairs	127.35
Special repairs	789.87
General building supplies	127.96
Schoolroom furniture	17.51
Cleaning buildings	25.95
Schoolroom supplies	\$5979.71
General supplies	312.38
Laboratory supplies	33.91
Kindergarten supplies	4.19
Drawing supplies	67.85
Accounting and distribution	\$148.20
Salary of clerk	204.00
Fuel for office	98.61
Lighting office	9.40
Care of office	36.70
Feeding	4.05
General expenses	42.74

## CAPT. G. C. MERRIAM DIES AT NAVAL HOSPITAL

### Surgical Operation Could Not Save Him from Death

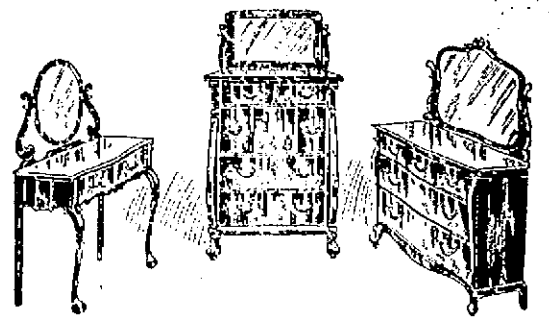
### Was Recently Designated to Be the Navy Yard Executive Officer

### His Last Sea Voyage Was on the Battleship Missouri in the Pacific Ocean

Today the ever busy angel of death claimed one of the best known and efficient of the United States navy. In the passing of Captain Greenleaf Augustus Merriam, who died at the naval hospital this morning shortly after ten o'clock, the navy lost a most courteous and efficient officer. During many of his sea voyages he was known to the men of the navy as a man who guarded their interests as well as that of the navy and was ever ready to help a seaman as well as an officer. In every way he was considered a practical man who never diverted from the rules of the navy for himself or his men.

Captain Merriam was a native of Baltimore and entered the service from Marblehead, Mass., on July 21, 1866.

His wife, who survives him, is a native of Somersworth. He also leaves two sons, George H. Merriam and Sidney A. Merriam, the latter a first lieutenant commanding the marine barracks at Key West, and one daughter.



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## ROBBED NICKEL-IN-THE-SLOT

### CANDY AND GUM MACHINE

Once more a crook calls on Frank Leary. This time he did business one the outside and gave his attention to the candy and gum machine just outside the door.

The doors of the automatic contrivance were pried open and the few coppers therein taken. None of the candy or gum was touched. This morning the clerk found the parts of the machine on the ground nearby and the money gone.

There was only a small amount in the machine and the job was hardly worth the time and chances which the thief took on it.

It is said that he has planned to his coat a little silk American flag and if it is known along the way that he is wearing it he thinks he will have no trouble from the police who, he says, never have caught one of the numerous "eggmen" that have been making so much trouble in New England, but if a man is seen walking along the highway about his business he is at once snatched by them. If they leave him alone he says he is sure that he will get along in very quick time.

The Providence papers say that James is quite a character in his home town. He writes poetry whenever the spirit moves him and from one of his efforts that met with much success he became known as "The Starch Factory Poet," the name under which he has undertaken this long walk.

### MONDAY WILL BE BUSY

Many Outings, Private Picnics and Family Gatherings Planned for Labor Day

Although no workman will do his usual duty on Monday next the day will be a busy one in many ways. Many outings, private picnics and family gatherings have been planned besides athletic meets and baseball games.

The Marathon race is attracting considerable attention among local athletes and will be a warm contest from beginning to end.

### NEW DUMPING GROUNDS

City Teams Hauling in Four Different Places About the Town

Since the orders were issued prohibiting any further dumping of rubbish on the South Pond dump, the street department has found it necessary to haul the ashes and other gatherings to different parts of the city and are now dropping it at Sargent Brothers' wharf, on the river front on Salter, on a sewer at Christian Shore, and at the gravel pit.

### FUNERAL OF MR. LANGLEY

The funeral of John O. Langley was held at the home at noon today, attended by Rev. Lucius H. Thayer. The burial was in Sagamore cemetery under the direction of H. W. Nickerson.

### VISITED THE SHOALS

A party from Lakeport came to Portsmouth today for a trip to the

### HE GOT A GOAT

Prominent Member of the Uno Club Presented With One of the Angora Species

Lester Thompson, a member of the Uno Club, was recently presented by that organization with a Kerry goat. Les is proud of his gift and may put him on exhibition at some of the fairs, later in the different parts of Maine.

### NOTICE

The Kittery Yacht Club is planning a series of races for Labor day. There will be classes for sailing boats and motor boats, and rowing races, beginning at two o'clock. The club will keep open house for the public at the clubhouse on that afternoon. Members and invited friends will have a dancing and card party in the evening.



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Ladies' Black Silk Coats at \$5.00, reduced from \$10.50.

Ladies' Colored Linen Suits at \$5.00, reduced from \$12.00.

The New "Harvard" Sweater at \$5.00.

A good line of Sweaters in grey and white from \$1.98 up to \$5.00.

Closing out our Muslin Waists at very reduced prices.

Children's Dresses marked at 1-2c price, ages 1 to 4 years.

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" 1.50 " 75c  
" 3.00 " \$1.50

New lot of those Fir Balsam Pillows just arrived.

Men's Lace Hose at 12 1-2c, reduced from 25c.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs at 12 1-2c, reduced from 25c.

Ladies' Black Hose 10c pair.

Ladies' Black Lace Gloves at 12 1-2c pair.

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## PORTLAND TO CHICAGO IN TWENTY-TWO DAYS

### Starch Factory Poet Goes Through Here on Walking Stunt

The early birds about Market square this morning shortly before six o'clock saw a short chunk of a middle-aged man bounce into the square from Market street and turn down Congress street as if he was running to a fire. His clothes were whole, but otherwise he looked like the famous character "Dusty Rhodes" in modern fiction, for he was covered with dust equal to a man who had been working in the clay drying and pulverizing room at a pottery.

He was James Murphy, the "starch factory poet" of Providence, R. I., living up to his stunt, as previously announced in the Herald, of walking from Portland to Chicago in an

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## A RALLY AT KITTERY

But Nine In Audience To Hear  
Deacon Hill's Argument

A rally was scheduled for Kittery on Tuesday evening, at which Sheriff Athorne and Deacon Abraham Hill were to speak. Mr. Hill who is running for representative on the Independent ticket with a democratic nomination thrown in, was the only speaker and he came near being the only one in the audience. He presided and introduced himself and to the nine people who were in the audience gave his opinion of the condition of the state of Maine and the prohibition law, which he claimed the republican party were making a farce of. He had a few suggestions, one was that as a just tribute to the republican party for their lack of the people of Kittery and that should elect him representative.

## BOXING MATCH AT DOVER

A Great Bill on at Lowell Opera House Tonight

A large crowd of local fight fans are planning to attend the bout which



"Bart" Connolly

manager Jack Caloy of the Eastern A. C. is staging at Lowell's Opera House at Dover this evening, when Bartley Connolly of Portland who re-

cently won the middle weight championship of England will meet Jack Killeen the Irish champion in the main bout of ten rounds. The show will be over in time for the local sports to get electric cars home. Wm. McElroy of this city will referee. Reserved seats are on sale with Jack Logan at Hotel Langdon, this city.

## THEATRICAL

## Peck's Bad Boy Tomorrow

Peck's Bad Boy will be the attraction at Music Hall on Thursday evening.

This company needs no introduction to our theatre-goers as it has been a household word for the past twenty seasons. The company this season is much larger than ever before, and includes such well-known artists as the Murren Brothers,

John F. Callahan, Adelaide, N.Y., Charles Landie and the Spaves. The company is equipped with new scenery, and costumes, now made in fact everything new and up to date for a good evening's entertainment. Popular prices.

## Miss Petticoats

Not many are these old stories, for here are the ancient wharves that



have lain at the old wharves for half a century and here are the men and women too, with a frank, warm-hearted personality that wins one around like the soft pungent salt air that creates such a comfortable atmosphere in the town and in the great audiences that crowd to see "Miss Petticoats" in her charming red cloak.

A glorious creature in this true type of American girl as she poses before us in many positions. First, on board of the old dandy "Blue Bird" where she is the life of Capt. Stewart, her grandfather, and his

old cronies who make her life a merry one, then shining in society, hard beset by jealousy and envy, but passing on her shining path and finally triumphing over all struggles. In the last act as the Countess Foray in Paris. Strong contrasts, strong characters and strong situations make this a most thrilling play well worthy of the book from which it was taken and which produced such a sensation when it came out.

All the details of a ship's cabin and a Paris salon are carried out to the smallest trifle, and costumes and scenery all new and fresh, and a fine company will present "Miss Petticoats" at Music Hall on Saturday.

## "The Red Mill"

There has never been a musical comedy with so many types of girls as in "The Red Mill." The identified saucy, serious, pouting, laughing and dancing girls are aptly illustrated by the Fifth Avenue Belles, the Bowers Belles, the Motor Beauties, the Broadway Embroiderers, the French Bon-Vanderees, the Dutch Girls and the English Girls.

Such howls and roars of laughter as those which greet Whitehead and McNeil, when they appear in the opening of the second act of "The Red Mill," dressed as two Italian troubadours, with the hand-organ and monkey, have probably never been duplicated in an American city, and when they commence their wrangling over the lost sixty cents the audience is so rapt in attention that the fall of a pin might be heard.

## WARD THREE DEMOCRATS

There will be a Democratic caucus on the evening of Sept. 8 from seven to eight o'clock at the Ward Three ward room.

Per Order, Committee.

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BOARD OF INSTRUCTION  
HOLD MEETING

(Continued from the first page.)

General office supplies	\$50.26
	\$115.74
Advertising and Publication	
Annual report	45.00
Advertising - newspaper	19.53
High school graduation	129.00
Visitation	2.00
	\$196.49
Total	\$27625.87

## Teachers Elected

Mr. Hodgdon for the high school committee nominated for teachers in the eighth grade of the high school the following teachers: Miss Ruth K. Smith a graduate of Mt. Holyoke and a teacher of one year experience in New York, Miss Marguerite McIntosh a graduate of Wellesley in 1908. There was some discussion over the salaries to be paid these teachers which has been customarily the maximum of the grade teachers. Mr. Silver said that it was not only hard to get teachers but especially hard to get teachers of college experience for less than the maximum. They were elected and the question of salary was dropped.

For the first district Mr. Gooding said that there were two vacancies and the committee nominated Miss Alice Hatch who was elected and Mrs. Bertha Watson who did not receive the necessary number of votes was not elected. The members of the Board made it plain that they were opposed to married teachers being elected to positions as teachers in the public schools. Mr. Silver was however, authorized to fill the vacancy.

Mr. Leighton for the second committee stated that Miss Helen Leighton wanted a year's leave of absence on account of illness and this was granted. The resignation of Miss Minnie Woods as teacher of the Whipple school was accepted. Mr. Leighton stated that the committee at this time did not have any recommendations to make as to vacancies. Mrs. Hewitt for the third district favored granting the application of Miss Bertha Martin for a leave of absence on account of ill health and it was granted.

## The Private Tuition Rule

Sept. Silver called up the matter of the rules forbidding teachers to do private tutoring and said that he thought it would be well to repeal the rule, as in some cases it was a hardship for the teachers, and if any teacher would abuse the privilege they were not worthy of being teachers. The matter created considerable discussion and several ways were talked over, but the committee were opposed to any change in the rules. The matter was finally laid over for the next meeting.

The Rye school committee wanted a contract with the city for the tuition of the scholars of that town in the high school. The Mayor was authorized to make a contract with the town of Rye for \$50 a scholar.

Mr. Locke asked how many scholars there were from the Navy Yard and the Fort that were given tuition free. He said that he would make a point of order on the matter later, confident that the city had not the right to do this. Several of the committee spoke against such a move confident that it would be opposed to the interests of the city. That the same privilege was granted the children of officers and enlisted men in all other places where they were stationed.

## Bids Opened

The bids for the taking of the school census were opened and they were as follows: John T. Sheehan, \$86.75; Eugene Williams, \$10.00; Albert J. Wood, \$35.99; John C. McDonough, \$35.00; Miss L. D. Trip, \$35.00 and Maurice O. T. Richards, \$34.35. Mr. Richards bid being the lowest he was awarded the contract. The term of Rev. L. H. Thayer as a member of the high school committee expired last month and on motion of Mr. McCarthy he was re-elected. The meeting then adjourned.

## JULIA STAPLES

Mrs. Julia Staples, the wife of George Staples, and one of the old residents of Ogunquit, died early Tuesday morning at her home in that town, age 80 years. They had recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

## WARD FOUR DEMOCRATS

There will be a caucus of Ward Four Democrats Tuesday evening, Sept. 8, at eight o'clock to nominate delegates to the different conventions and do any other business that may come before it.

W. P. GARDNER,  
Secretary.

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## BUT THREE SURVIVORS.

Sloop Capsized With Vacation Party of Ten.

### NO THOUGHT OF DANGER.

Six Women and a Man Drowned, Among Them Being Two Sisters of Washington and Two of Baltimore—Two Picked Up Unconscious, But Efforts to Resuscitate Them Failed—All Were Prominent.

Deer Isle, Me., Sept. 2.—A tragedy close was brought to a happy summer spent on this island resort off the Maine coast when seven prominent vacationists out of a party of ten were drowned by the capsizing of a thirty-five-foot sloop in Penobscot bay. The drowned: Miss Alice Talro and Miss Eleanor Talro, Washington, sisters; Miss Evelyn Kellogg and Miss Lillian Kellogg, Baltimore, sisters; Miss Elizabeth G. Evans, South Hadley, Mass.; Jason H. Hutchins, Billerica, Mass.; Mrs. Lucy S. Crawley, Philadelphia.

The saved are: Captain Haskell of Deer Isle; Professor Edward Crawley of Philadelphia, husband of Mrs. Crawley; Henry B. Evans, Mt. Holyoke, brother of Miss Elizabeth Evans. All of the victims were among the best known among the summer people here and were prominent in social and educational circles in their winter homes.

With Captain Samuel Haskell the party of summer people started out for a sail in Penobscot bay. It was drawing near the close of the vacation season for some of them and they had planned this as their last outing together. The sloop was of the "open" variety and it contained no ballast, as the party of ten weighed the boat down quite heavily and Haskell thought the human ballast sufficient.

The party had scarcely been gone an hour before the wind freshened up, blowing the sloop well over and dashing the spray upon the occupants, much to their grief. There was no thought of danger until the afternoon was drawing to a close, when Haskell decided that the wind was too heavy for his boat and the sea too choppy, so he brought the boat around and started a tack homeward.

All the party were perched high up on the weather side, as the sloop cut through the waves with the water almost coming over the gunwales on the lee side when Haskell gave a shout of warning that he was going to tack, and then threw over the tiller. Just at this moment the boat rose high up on a wave.

An unusually heavy gust of wind struck her and in a twinkling the sloop was over on her beam ends and the party of ten was in the water. For one brief moment it was every one for one's self. Haskell, however, saw the boat's tender was still right side up and shouted to Crawley and Evans to make for the tender, doing so at the same time himself. Crawley, however, still clinging to the overturned sloop, looking for his wife, while Evans was trying vainly to locate his sister.

In the meantime Haskell had grabbed the tender and had climbed aboard. Cutting it loose he brought the boat up near Crawley and Evans and helped them aboard. But the women were beyond help. Weighted down by their water-soaked clothes and chilled by the cold water they had been unable to keep themselves afloat. Some of them had grabbed the person nearest them by the neck and in some instances they had gone down together, clasped in each other's arms.

The upset had been seen from Eagle Island, not far from the accident, and as soon as possible a sloop was sent out to pick up the survivors. They reached the tender just in time and pulled the three exhausted men aboard. Of the rest of the party but two were in sight and the boat was headed for them. They were the bodies of Lillian Kellogg and Miss Evans. They were unconscious, and although the rescuers worked vigorously over them, all efforts to restore life failed.

The calamity cast a profound gloom over this resort. This particular party of nine that went out with Haskell had formed one of the liveliest groups of merry-makers on this portion of the island, and, determined to make the last outing together one to be remembered, they had started out from the wharf full of high spirits, giving a ringing cheer to those left behind.

### RICHARDSON IS INNOCENT.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 2.—Mrs. Earl Hudson has signed a statement that George Richardson is not the negro who assaulted her on the night of Aug. 11. A warrant is reported to have been sworn out for the arrest of another negro, Ralph Huston. It was the assault charge against Richardson, followed by his arrest and removal to Bloomington, Ill., that precipitated the recent bloody race riot.

### POSTPONED FOR FIVE YEARS.

Tokio, Sept. 2.—The postponement until 1917 of the Japanese International exposition, which was to have been held in 1912, is officially announced. The postponement is due to economical reasons and to lack of time to properly prepare for the exposition.

## GIANTS RIVET FIRST PLACE.

Lengthen Lead by Taking Two Games From Boston Nationals.

Baseball interest was again at white heat yesterday, with all three clubs fighting for the National League leadership in action and two of them playing doubleheaders. The important change was the fall of Chicago, beaten by St. Louis, from second to third place, Pittsburgh winning a doubleheader from Cincinnati, gaining the second position. New York's two victories over Boston slightly lengthened the lead of the former club. The standing of the three leading clubs this morning is: Won Lost Pct New York ..... 71 45 .612 Pittsburgh ..... 72 47 .605 Chicago ..... 71 48 .597

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
At Boston: R H E  
New York ..... 8 10 1  
Boston ..... 1 5 1  
Batteries—Whitson, Bresnahan and Needham; Turkey, Dornan and Smith.  
Second game: R H E  
New York ..... 8 8 0  
Boston ..... 6 6 4  
Batteries—Mathewson, Taylor, Bresnahan and Needham; Flaherty, Ferguson and Graham.

At Philadelphia: R H E  
Philadelphia ..... 4 7 2  
Brooklyn ..... 2 6 2  
Batteries—Sparks and Dootin; Pasterius and Muloney.  
Ad National league  
Second game: R H E  
Philadelphia ..... 9 11 1  
Brooklyn ..... 0 4 1  
Batteries—McQuillan and Dootin; Bell, Wilhelm and Farmer.  
At Chicago: R H E  
St. Louis ..... 5 11 3  
Chicago ..... 4 7 1  
Batteries—Becke, Lush and Moran; Reutbach and Moran.

At Cincinnati: R H E  
Pittsburg ..... 10 12 1  
Cincinnati ..... 2 8 3  
Batteries—Maddox and Gibson; Volz, Coakley and McLean.  
Second game: R H E  
Pittsburg ..... 9 16 0  
Cincinnati ..... 2 9 2  
Batteries—Leever and Gibson; Campbell and Schied.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
At Washington: R H E  
Washington ..... 6 12 1  
Boston ..... 0 4 0  
Batteries—Smith, Hughes and Warner; Cicotte, Arelanes and Donohue.  
At Detroit: R H E  
Cleveland ..... 1 8 1  
Detroit ..... 0 1 0  
Batteries—Joss and Clark; Whitner and Schmitt.

At New York: R H E  
New York ..... 4 13 2  
Philadelphia ..... 3 6 2  
Batteries—Chesbro and Blair; Vickers and Schreck.  
Second game: R H E  
Philadelphia ..... 4 10 0  
New York ..... 0 5 3  
Batteries—Coombs and Blue; Manning and Severyn.  
At St. Louis: R H E  
Chicago ..... 13 15 1  
St. Louis ..... 4 5 3  
Batteries—Smith and Sullivan; Graham, Bailey, Criss and Smith.  
**NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.**  
At Lowell: R H E  
Fall River ..... 3 9 0  
Lowell ..... 2 3 2  
Batteries—Wormwood and Norris; Dwyer and Dornan.  
At Lawrence: R H E  
Lawrence ..... 9 12 4  
Lynd ..... 5 10 6  
Batteries—Eason and Alsmuth; Labelle and Dornan.  
At Worcester: R H E  
Brookline ..... 7 7 4  
Worcester ..... 2 9 2  
Batteries—Playson and Waters; Hartman, Keady and McNamee.  
At Haverhill: R H E  
Haverhill ..... 9 11 1  
New Bedford ..... 0 4 3  
Batteries—Gleard and Perkins; Murray and Shea.

### CURLEYS IN FIRST BATTLE.

Boston, Sept. 2.—A fiercest first fight between Abraham James Curley and ex-Senator Thomas Curley marked the filing of papers in the state contests at the temporary office of the Democratic city committee in the old Advertiser building on Washington street. Abraham Curley came out of the contest with a torn shirt, and Thomas sustained a cut lip. The friends started when the crowd of politicians began to push towards the door, ready to make a rush the moment it was open. Anticipating a fight, the owners of the building had removed the glass from the door.

### THE PROBATE OFFICE PROBE.

Boston, Sept. 2.—The finance commission, in its report on the investigation of the office of the register of probate, finds that the payrolls have increased 225 percent in fifteen years, the expense to the county having increased five times as fast as the business of the office. It also finds that the cost of administration has been excessive. The commission recommends that the number of clerks in the department be reduced and that all appointments be subject to civil service rules.

### THE HOLDUP OF MORMONS.

Washington, Sept. 2.—Secretary Strauss has approved the action of the local immigration officials at Boston in the so-called Mormon cases, wherein a number of immigrants were held up on the allegation of entering the country in violation of law. Strauss says that the two cases of exclusion were on the ground, as to one, of admission of belief in polygamy, and, as to the other, of physical and other reasons. A number of other cases have been held up for further investigation.

## THE VERDICT IN VERMONT.

Prouty Wins Over Burke by About 28,000 Votes.

### MANY LOCAL CONTESTS.

Democrats Succeed in Reducing Republican Majority in Next House—Independence League Did Not Make Great Showing—Prohibitionists in Fourth Place, While the Socialists Made a Poor Fight.

White River Junction, Vt., Sept. 2.—The Republicans defeated the Democrats in the state election by about 28,000. Lieutenant Governor George H. Prouty, who led the former ticket, received 11,432 votes, while James B. Burke of Burlington, his Democratic opponent, had 14,536 votes, with 23 small towns missing. These towns in 1904 gave a Republican plurality of 1789. The vote for the other candidates for governor with the same towns missing was:

Quimby S. Backus, Independence League, 1009; E. M. Campbell, Prohibition, 783; J. K. Dunbar, Socialist, 450.

The next legislature will stand as follows: Senate—Republicans, 23; Democrats, 1; house—Republicans, 210; Democrats, 30; Independence League, 6.

The total vote for the three minor parties was considerably larger than in previous years, but the gain was wholly by the Independence League, the Prohibition and Socialist vote falling off.

The plurality was the smallest on a presidential year since 1882, when it was 17,573 and was followed by a Democratic national victory, but it was larger than in 1888 and slightly less than in 1900. There was a falling off in four years of about 8 percent in the Republican vote, while the Democratic vote fell off about 2 percent. The Independence League appeared for the first time.

An unusually large number of local contests for members of the legislature, although bringing out a heavy vote and resulting in Democratic gains in the lower branch of the legislature, apparently had no bearing on the gubernatorial fight.

The Republicans elected to congress David J. Foster of Burlington for another term and Frank Munroe of Northfield for the first time, and chose a majority of the state legislature which will select a successor to the late Senator Redfield Proctor. The state ticket elected was as follows: Governor, George H. Prouty, Newport; lieutenant governor, John A. Mead, Rutland; secretary of state, Guy W. Bailey, Essex; treasurer, Edward H. Devault, Montpelier; auditor, Thomas E. Graham, Craftsbury; attorney general, John G. Sargent, Londonderry.

In an unusually large number of local contests the Democrats were as a rule successful. The Republican majority in the next house, therefore, will be considerably reduced. The voters were urged to support the Republican ticket by speakers of national importance who, stumped the state during the past two weeks, discussing issues which will be heard in other parts of the country this fall. On the other hand, the Democrats fought the battle alone, James E. Burke of Burlington, known as the blacksmith mayor of that city, who headed the ticket, having only local talent in his support. The Democrats were also anxious regarding the strength of the Independence League movement, but the returns from a majority of the cities and towns showed that comparatively few voters supported Quimby S. Backus of Brandon, who headed the new party ticket. The Prohibition party ran a close race with the Independence League, while the Socialists were a poor fifth in the contest among the leaders.

The voters were favored with excellent weather, and despite the fact that the harvest was at hand they came to the polls in large numbers. The local contests proved the feature of the election as far as the people were concerned, but the results seemed to have little effect upon the state as a whole as was expected. Burke ran exceedingly well in his own city, Burlington, reducing the Republican margin of 200 four years ago to 41 votes. He also ran well in Barre, but he fell behind in St. Albans and in several of the large towns.

On the other hand, the little towns up in the fastnesses of the Green mountains stood loyally by the Republican party as of old, rolling up majorities for Prouty that nearly counteracted the losses in the cities.

### RESULT PLEASES MACK.

New York, Sept. 2.—Much interest was taken in the result of the Vermont elections in political circles here, and the returns had an attractiveness and interest beyond anything seen in former years. In the absence of Chairman Hitchcock of the Republican national committee, those in charge of headquarters here did not care to be quoted except to say that they were pleased with the result.

Chairman Mack of the Democratic national committee expressed gratification at the result. "The returns so far received," he said, "show that the Republicans lost about 8 percent in their voting strength since the last presidential election, while our loss is

slight. This is a gain in percentage for the Democrats and this despite the fact that we spent no money for campaign purposes there. On the other hand, the Republicans had speakers of national reputation in the state and made a fight."

### DEMOCRATS CONFER.

New York, Sept. 2.—National Chairman Mack and eastern members of the Democratic national committee held a conference here and decided to establish various bureaus of the national committee in New York co-ordinate with those which have been established in Chicago.

The national committee has previously decided that each state committee shall decide upon what extent it will co-operate with negro organizations, as the conditions with regard to the negro vote are of dissimilar character in the different states. Mack says that he will announce the appointment of a vice chairman to manage the campaign in the east some time today. National Committeeman Hudspeth of New York is prominently spoken of as eastern manager.

### THE BRYAN TOUR.

Grand Forks, N. D., Sept. 2.—William J. Bryan arrived here last night from Fargo. On the way from Fargo the train made many stops, which afforded an opportunity for the candidate to shake hands with hundreds of persons. In his speeches yesterday Bryan denounced the Republican party for its failure, as he said, specifically to meet in its platform the several issues of the campaign, and expounded again his views on the guaranteeing of bank deposits, charging that Taft "goes out of his way to predict dire disaster if that proposition should become effective." He discussed also the trusts, the labor question, publicity of campaign contributions before election and the election of senators by direct vote of the people.

### ROOSEVELT FOR HUGHES.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Senator Theodore Roosevelt was the scene of another political conference, the subject of which was the gubernatorial nomination of the Republican party in New York state, and President Roosevelt again made known his attitude on the nomination of Charles E. Hughes for governor. The president declared that it was absolutely necessary that the Republican party should nominate Hughes at the coming state convention.

### BORAH TO STUMP MAINE.

New York, Sept. 2.—Arrangements are being made by the Republican national committee to make a strong push in the state campaign in Maine, which closes with the election on Sept. 15, and Senator Borah of Idaho will leave immediately for Maine, where he will make many speeches during the next two weeks.

### COMES OUT FOR TAFT.

Omaha, Sept. 2.—Bryan Democrats in Nebraska received a shock when the Schuyler Free Lance, the most influential Populist newspaper in Nebraska, advised all Populists to ignore Watson and vote for Taft. In an editorial the editor says the Populists have nothing to hope for from Bryan's election.

## TWO HUNDRED MEN INITIATED.

Parade Follows Conclave of the Order of the Serpent.

Boston, Sept. 2.—Perhaps the most unique feature of the annual encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans was witnessed last night in the grand conclave of the Order of the Serpent, a side issue with the veterans which dates from an ancient order among the Filipinos banished by the veterans when in service on the islands.

Over 200 candidates were initiated at the first corps camp assembly and later a parade was held about Park square, when the initiated marched over the course supporting the body of an immense serpent, nearly 100 feet long. The degree team were arrayed in the fantastic costumes of chieftains of Philippine tribes.

The initial step toward the merging of all war veteran societies in one great body as the United Order of United Veterans was taken at the convention of the United Spanish War Veterans in Faneuil hall.

When the Philippine delegate to the convention arose and spoke the one word "initiated" the declaration brought the entire assembly to its feet, and ringing cheers for it meant that hereafter the veteran army of the Philippines would be known as the veteran army of the Philippines, department of the United Spanish War Veterans. The Philippine organization numbers 1100 members.

### HDS WERE ALL LOW.

Washington, Sept. 2.—Shipbuilders and their representatives gathered at the navy department for the opening of bids for the construction of ten torpedo boat destroyers, not to exceed in cost \$800,000 each, and for the acquisition of three colliers, not to exceed \$225,000 each. All the proposals made were at a figure considerably below the congressional limit. It is likely that each of the five firms making bids will get a contract.

## HAS CORRIDOR TO HIMSELF.

Unusual Privileges Granted Thaw in Prison.

### A PROTEST IS ENTERED.

Other Prisoners Crowded to Allow One Man to Occupy a Quarter of Entire Principal Jail For Men—All His Food Ordered From Hotel and Eaten in Place Fitted Up Like a Business Office.

Albany, Sept. 2.—In a report submitted to the state commission of prisons, Secretary McLaughlin protests against the further confinement in the Dutchess county jail at Poughkeepsie of Harry K. Thaw. The report says in part:

"He (Thaw) has been held in this jail for several months pending the outcome of litigation, which looks now as though it might be interminable. His presence in this jail is embarrassing to the sheriff and objectionable to many accounts. The sheriff has no room for him except in the padded cell, in which he needs for temporary uses, and it would be an entirely unfit place in which to confine a man for months. Having been adjudged insane with homicidal tendencies, the sheriff would not be justified in confining him with the other prisoners. He cannot keep him in the hospital room for two reasons, first, it is not sufficiently secure; second, it cannot be spared for the permanent occupancy of Thaw.

"The result is that the sheriff has to give him an entire corridor, with the thirteen cells adjacent, in the principal jail for men. He needs this room for his other prisoners. The want of it makes it impossible for him to properly classify the regular prisoners. He consumes a large amount of the time of the jailer in escorting him to Pliskin Landing, White Plains and other places to attend hearings before the court and before referees, time which the jailer needs for his other duties. There is a good deal of public talk that some of these hearings are on fake suits, instituted by his friends to give him these outings.

"His presence here demoralizes the discipline of the institution. He sleeps in the corridor, not in the cell. He has all the fixtures and paraphernalia of a business office. He orders his food from the hotel, which has to be brought to him three times a day. Fifty people send him bouquets of flowers. He is allowed the use of a whole corridor, constituting one-quarter of the entire principal jail for men, while the other prisoners are crowded, two in a cell frequently.

"All these things are under the observation of the other prisoners and create dissatisfaction, and a belief that men with money constitute a separate class even in a prison. These things produce an ugly feeling of discontent and rebellion among the other prisoners.

"It would seem that a person who had been adjudged insane, but who is now conducting proceedings for his discharge of the ground of recovery, should be detained in an institution where he would be under the observation of experts, who could advise the court of his changed mental condition, if it has occurred.

"Certainly, neither the sheriff nor his jailer has any such expert training or knowledge as would qualify them for the proper care of insane people, and this commission should protest against the further continuance of Thaw in this jail."

### RODRIGUEZ UNDER ARREST.

Havana, Sept. 2.—Ricardo Rodriguez, chief of the bureau of supplies and vouchers in the Havana postoffice, who disappeared after the discovery of a shortage in that department amounting to \$53,135, was arrested last night. He was in hiding and disguised. Rodriguez is 70 years of age and was employed for ten years in the Philadelphia postoffice, entering the Cuban service from that city at the time of the first American intervention.

### CRAZY PRISONERS SHIFTED.

Thomaston, Me., Sept. 2.—Warden Norton of the state prison has transferred fourteen of the more desperate criminals from the Maine state prison here to the Augusta asylum for the insane. The United States government has given to the state the old arsenal grounds, and the buildings thereon are being fitted for the state's insane prisoners.

### TELEGRAPHIC INVENTIES.

Engene Peva, aged 41, a farmer of Weeks Mills, Me., committed suicide by taking carbolic acid in a fit of despondency, due to ill-health. The body of Clara Sloan, aged 20 years, was found floating in Beverly (Mass.) harbor. It is supposed she committed suicide during a fit of temporary insanity.

A petition of voluntary bankruptcy was filed at Portsmouth, N. H., by the Portsmouth Forge company, with a recommendation from General Manager Morton that a receiver be appointed.

An operation in which many surgeons are interested will be performed soon on a New Orleans child which was born recently with two heads. The second head is not perfectly formed.

## SUFFOCATED IN SHIP'S HOLD.

Five Men Who Had Just Signed For a Long Voyage.

Boston, Sept. 2.—Succumbing to the deadly fumes of burning pitch and oakum deep down in the forepeak of the British bark Putnam as she lay at anchor in President Roads, four seamen were suffocated and a fifth was partly overcome before he was rescued by shipmates. The dead are Harry E. Olsen, Carl Morsen, Peterson Beckles and George Sandblade.

The five, which caused only slight damage, is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion. The four bodies were brought up to the city, stowed by the medical examiner and placed in the morgue, while the injured man, William Roberts, was taken to a hospital. It is believed that Roberts will recover.

Medical Examiner McGrath declared that death was due to inhaling some kind of poisonous gas given off by the burning cargo. The bodies of the four victims have not been learned. All were Swedes and had been in Boston and out of work for some time past. A thorough investigation is being made by the police into the circumstances surrounding the accident.

The Putnam had taken on a cargo of 14,000 barrels of tar, oil, pitch and oakum, and went down to the roads Monday, where she anchored, awaiting favorable winds to start her on a long voyage to Vancouver, B. C. The twelve men composing her crew were stowed in this city only yesterday morning and were taken to the back on a tug.

## THE RECOGNITION OF MULAI HAFID.

It Promises to Further Complicate European Politics.

Paris, Sept. 2.—The desire of France and Spain to avoid international complications in connection with the Moroccan situation is apparent in an official announcement made simultaneously by the cabinets of Madrid and Paris, to the effect that these governments will not ask a mandate from the powers to treat with Mulai Hafid, but that they will for the moment limit their action to demanding certain guarantees of him covering their special interests. These demands, when formulated, will be submitted to the signatories of the Algeiras act, and each power will be left free to recognize Mulai Hafid or not and treat with him in conformity with the stipulations of the Algeiras act.

The suspicious of the French press that Germany is trying to take advantage of the complications in Morocco have been increased by the news that Dr. Vassel, the German consul at Tangier, has left for Fez, ostensibly with the object of gaining the ear of Mulai Hafid. The French government, however, profess to retain confidence in the uprightness of Germany and refuses to believe that the mission of Vassel is political.

The morning newspapers are unanimous in their outcry against the departure of the German consul for Fez. They see in this "a fresh act of German maneuvering and a strange commentary on the emperor's peace speech at Strasbourg."

### BALLOONISTS' CLOSE CALL.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 2.—Fearing a storm on Lake Ontario, the crew on board the racing balloon Vile Dieppe tried to descend at Niagara Falls. The trip could not be properly made and as a result the three persons in the basket got a bad shaking up and narrowly escaped death in the whirlpool rapids. Captain Mueller, in charge of the balloon, suffered the most. He was taken to a hospital and may be internally injured. With Captain Mueller were Percy Gregory, 16 years old, and Gerald Gregory, 18 years old.

### VETERANS AT DEDICATION.

Toledo, Sept. 2.—A civic parade and the dedication of the Fort Meigs monument at Perryburg, twelve miles from Toledo, divided interest in the forty-second encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. Forty thousand journeyed to the historic spot where General Harrison checked the ambitions of the British general, Proctor. Many speeches were made.

### ENGINEER KILLED.

Waltham, Mass., Sept. 2.—Engineer Matthew Henderson, aged 45, was killed when his engine, attached to a freight train, jumped a frog in taking a switch here. The engine plunged over on its side and Henderson was fatally scalded and crushed. In the cab with him at the time were two firemen and a brakeman. They escaped by jumping.

### WEARY OF LIFE.

Boston, Sept. 2.—Percy Myers, aged 29, committed suicide by taking morphine in his room on Columbus avenue. Deeds Leary, aged 45, killed himself by cutting an artery in his arm at his lodge in the South End. Despondency in both cases is given as the cause of the deeds.

### THE WEATHER.

Albany, Thursday, Sept. 3.  
Sun rises—5:12; sets—6:33.  
Moon rises—10:21 p. m.  
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 of Ohio.

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 of New York.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1908

## OUR TROLLEY SITUATION

The Maine papers are telling how the two new sections of street railroads are nearly ready for use between Sabattus and Gardiner and between Augusta and Waterville. The iron is down so that construction cars are being hauled over the lines by tiny locomotives, and the passenger traffic will begin soon.

The building of these lines extends trolley tourist possibilities sixty miles farther to the northeast, for the traveler who starts at Kittery can now go by electric cars to Shawmut Village, eight miles above Waterville on the west bank of the Kennebec river.

The next grapevine lines in contemplation are to Bangor and Rockland where they would connect with suburban lines to Old Town, Charleston, Kennebunk, and Hampden from Bangor, and to Warren and Camden from Rockland.

The trolley tourist is getting common, for he has discovered a new way of spending a vacation and one that is within the means of the ordinary run of people who cannot afford to ride by automobile. A larger number of them have gone through Portsmouth this year. Many of them have told the Herald how much they regretted the necessity of carrying heavy valises across this city from the Atlantic Shore line to Market square, and we don't blame them for feeling that way.

The trolley tourist can chuck his hand baggage under the seat and some of the manufacturers are putting traveling bags on the market especially adapted to that use. The trolley car takes the tourist in front of the hotel or restaurant door, and he can save the expense of baggage transfers.

He is a leisurely traveler and likes to stop in a town and look it over, and see the historical places in it. To him, Portsmouth is perhaps the most attractive of the smaller cities in New England, but Portsmouth's trolley accommodations are a disappointment and he is likely to tell his friends to take some other route of travel where they can make better connections.

It is up to Portsmouth to bring pressure to bear on the powers that be, so that the Atlantic Shore Line cars will run into Market square. And also so that a suitable waiting room shall be established on the square.

The trolley tourist should not feel so inclined to shun the town, and such an arrangement would be even

more convenient for ourselves, besides increasing the traffic from the nearby towns across the Piscataqua river.

## BIRD'S-EYE VIEWS

Work has actually begun at building the trolley road from Rochester to East Rochester.

Maine won its final point in the National title match at Camp Perry, Ohio, and its protest against Oklahoma has been sustained, giving Maine fourteenth place in the match with but eight state teams above it in a field of fifty.

The bright star which rises in the evening before nine o'clock and which seems especially conspicuous because there are no other stars of equal brightness near it, is the planet Saturn. This planet has the honor of being the only planet not visible without a telescope in the evening. For Venus and Jupiter also in the early morning, Mars cannot be seen because nearly in line with the sun, and Mercury will not be visible until the latter part of the month for a like reason.

Governor Haskell, of Oklahoma, is charged with writing campaign songs in which "trying" rhymes with "Bryan." That is just right. Bryan is the most trying man that we have had in this country in many years. He has sorely tried the patience of everybody.

The Atlantic Shore Line and the Exeter trolley cars ought to land passengers in Market square.

Mr. Taft's presence in Virginia and the appearance he has been making before the people of that state, are worrying the Democratic managers. The Democratic party has carried the state by very narrow margins for thirty years. Bryan is neither liked nor respected in his own party in Virginia. Taft was respected and now that they have seen him, he is liked by the Virginians—and no wonder.

## OUR EXCHANGES

## A Suggestion for Portsmouth

The city of Salem the other day gave a public exhibition at which 1000 children, taken from the public playgrounds, were the performers. A variety of exercises were gone through with great agility, showing the benefit which the children receive from the use of the gymnastic apparatus. It would do no harm for our park commission to visit Salem, just to see how the public playground idea has been developed and to what extent the city of Lowell can follow her example.—Lowell Sun.

## A Deserved Tribute

The world is better because Tony Pastor lived in it for three score and ten years. He spread about lots of sunshine.—Providence Journal.

## ACRES OF HORSE RADISH

Nashua Man is Raising a Novel Crop For New Hampshire

Eleven acres of luxuriantly growing horse radish, showing from edge to edge like a mill pond, and comprising 57,500 hills, is one of the sights which those who pass down the Lowell road in Nashua have recently observed during the past few weeks, at Charles

## Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood. It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

The kidneys filter and purify the blood, and if they fail, the blood becomes impure and the body suffers. Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

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## PRESIDENT ORDERS U. S. S. MISSISSIPPI TO BOSTON

## Had Been Refused By Asst. Sec. Newberry To Spanish War Veterans

The navy department has ordered the big U. S. battleship Mississippi to Boston to take part in the festivities of the Spanish-American War Veterans, who have been very anxious for the presence of a battleship in the harbor this week. A few days ago it was reported that Assistant Secretary Newberry would not be able to send a ship to Boston, and the news was not pleasant to the veterans.

The change of programme is due to a suggestion from President Roosevelt who considers the veterans of which he is one entitled to the honor of the attendance of a warship during their encampment.

Gov. Guild has received the following telegram from the navy department in response to his request to them to have the battleship ordered here:

"The department finds it possible to order Mississippi to Boston in compliance with your request. Should arrive there 2d and remain during convention of Spanish War Veterans. Commandant ordered to co-operate in every way."

## "SECRETARY NOWBERRY."

The crew of the battleship some 500 bluejackets will take part in tomorrow afternoon's parade of the veterans.

The Mississippi was at Provincetown yesterday. She sailed early in the afternoon for Boston and will probably anchor in the outer harbor before sundown. Early tomorrow morning she will steam into the inner harbor and is expected to anchor in the channel opposite the foot of State street. The veterans will be afforded ample opportunity to visit the ship.

The presence of the Mississippi was especially desired because it carries a large number of veterans who distinguished themselves in the war with Spain, among whom are said to be one of the few survivors of Holston's crew of eight upon the Meritane, an officer who fired the first shot from Dewey's fleet at Manila bay and several men from the ill-fated Maine.

There were no less than four outbreaks of enthusiasm in the first of the business sessions of the fifth annual encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans in Faneuil Hall this morning. The historic hall rang with cheers when the vote was taken which consummated the amalgamation of the Veterans Army of the Philippines with the U. S. W. V., and

there was a renewal of vociferous applause when Brig.-Gen. H. H. Bandholtz, past commander-in-chief of the U. A. P., who had come half around the world to secure amalgamation, was escorted to the platform. Again when a delegation of three ladies representing the auxiliaries of the U. S. W. V. appeared in the hall the delegates cheered them again and again, and finally there was an outburst whose vigor showed how keen is there disappointment that the warship is not here. When the telegram to President Roosevelt was appended the words: "Please send the Mississippi."

The amalgamation project was the first business considered. The article of agreement was read by Adj. Gen. John J. Dwyer.

The motion of Maj. William B. Dwight of Connecticut that the U. S. W. V. hereby ratify the agreement was carried amid a prolonged demonstration, and the exuberance of the delegates was given full vent when Past Commander-in-chief Ward and Stoner escorted Gen. Bandholtz to the platform.

Everybody stood up when chairman Hale presented him to the convention. He made a brief speech of thanks for the cordial greeting, and there were cheers when he finished with the words: "We are at your service, God bless you all."

Past Commander-in-chief Murray, of Massachusetts moved that the word "ratified" be added to Manila, and the delegates got on their feet again and vociferously shouted their "ayes."

The veteran Army of the Philippines will henceforth be known as the Veterans Army of the Philippines department of the U. S. W. V. It is an organization of 100 members, and in order to be eligible to membership it is necessary for an applicant to have been in the Philippine service before July 4, 1902. This condition debarred Gen. Leonard Wood from membership.

The articles of agreement for the amalgamation were signed in Washington, D. C., on the 5th of May, 1908, by Walter Scott Hale, commander-in-chief of the U. S. W. V., and H. H. Bandholtz. And among the witnesses to the agreement was Luke E. Wright secretary of war.

A cablegram was read from the Philippines containing the single word "Ratified," which conveyed to the convention the information that the veteran army over there had ratified the agreement.

good supporting company. "The Girl of the Emerald Isle," a society play of four acts. The piece was well staged and the company and Miss Vate excellent.

## THE ENGAGEMENTS

And There Are Many Others Which Have Not Been "Announced"

The engagements of the following well known people have been announced:

Miss Ethel May Paul, daughter of Mrs. Ella B. Paul of South Elliot, to Robert W. Wakefield of Syracuse.

Miss Annie B. Emery, late of the training school, to Everett J. Montlon, both of Kittery Point.

Miss Eda Lois Stearns, a Manchester school teacher, to Ralph W. Burleigh of Stratham.

Miss Vida J. Whitler, secretary to Mrs. Mary L. Wood, to Frank W. Randall, electrical engineer at the Rockingham county light and power station.

## WARD FOUR REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

Republicans will meet in South Ward Room Sept. 8, from 7 to 8 P. M., to select delegates to the various conventions and do such other business as may legally come before them.

A. H. LOCKE, Chairman  
 C. F. Cole, Sec.

## WARD THREE REPUBLICANS

The Republican caucus in Ward Three will be held in the ward room on Bartlett street, Tuesday evening, Sept. 8, at 8.00 p. m., to elect delegates to the several conventions and choose a ward committee.

J. H. LESLIE,  
 Chairman of Ward Committee.

## AT THE NAVY YARD

Six applicants appeared today on the examination for master boiler maker. Two of the applicants, W. F. Higgins and William Ryan, are from Portsmouth, the remainder of the list included one each from Portland, Cincinnati, New York and Erie, Pa.

The wireless station on Seavey's Island has concluded its work in relaying commercial business to the Shoals.

George H. Young, who had a forty-foot fall on Tuesday at the navy yard, is reported today as doing well at the Cottage Hospital. Dr. Berry states that it is too soon to express any opinion as to the outcome of his injuries, but there are no unfavorable developments thus far.

The examination for master boiler maker in the department of steam engineering took place today before the examining board, consisting of Capt. A. V. Zane, Assistant Naval Constructor Ryner and Warrant Machinist Johnson.

Yesterday the first detachment of prisoners was put aboard the new prison ship Topoka. Up to this time the vessel has been used as a hospital for the sick men of the U. S. S. Southern.

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## KITTERY LETTER

### Newsy Items From Across the River

### Happenings in Our Busy Sister Town

### Various Paragraphs of Social and Personal Interest

### Gossip of a Day Collected by Our Correspondent

Kittery, Sept. 2.  
Mrs. Augustus Zara has returned from a visit to friends in Somerville, Mass.

Mrs. Edgar Burnham and son Richard are on a visit to friends at Round Pond, Me.

Henry Lutz is confined to his home by illness.

Harry L. Goodrich is in attendance on the Spanish War Veterans' Entertainment which is being held in Boston.

Mrs. Joseph Waite is much improved from injuries received from falling down stairs.

A meeting of the Sunday school committee of the Second Christian church will be held this evening at the home of Alexander Bennett on Echo street.

Stephen S. Paul of Lynn, Mass., is the guest of relatives in town.

Thomas F. Lewis, driver of Cutler's team, is suffering from a car-burn on his left arm.

Miss Lizzie Bowker of Exeter spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smart of Portsmouth spent Sunday with their son, George Smart.

Seare and Trist Company is among the firms which have bid for building off the cells in the naval prison. Many people in this town were employed by them when they were doing the iron work on the prison, two or three years ago.

Mrs. Joham Gerry and Mrs. George Ferrell are passing a few days in Boston.

Mrs. Herbert Foss of South Eliot was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Paul Kirvan, who has been passing his vacation with his grandmother, Mrs. Laura Patch, left Saturday for his home in Canada.

Oliver Grant and wife of New York, who have been visiting Miss Edith Hendick, returned home Sunday.

Miss Edna Bicknell has returned home after a visit with her sister in Portland.

Miss Hathaway and Miss Wood of Fall River are the guests of Mrs. L. E. Coffin.

Reynold Thoeny and Mildred Heeney of the navy yard are the guests of relatives in Boston.

The many friends of little Miss Helen Paul will be pleased to know that she is improving and on Saturday, with assistance, was able to walk as far as the public library.

### Kittery Point

Capt. Thomas F. Crawley of the ship Mystic Belle on Tuesday landed eighty-five large mackerel at Randall's wharf. These are the first brought in here this season and their arrival is encouraging to those engaged in the fishery.

The fresh southerly breeze of Tuesday drove to shelter in the harbor the largest fleet of coasters of the

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season thus far. It included the schooners Eric (British), Halcorn, St. John, N. H., for Bridgeport, with lumber; J. V. Wellington, Lamson, North Robinson, Me., for New York; Alma, Kelly, Bangor for New York; lumber; John Cadwallader, Murphy, Bangor for New York; lumber; Lonskia, Fullerton, Stonington for New York; granite; Lillian, Robbins, Machias for Wareham, Mass.; lumber; Hiram Murphy, Calais for Provincetown, lumber; Nile, Morrell, Rockland for Boston; Stone Brook, Turner, Stockton Springs for Boston, lumber; Elvasser, Hayton, Coffin, Mt. Desert for Boston, gravel.

The steam yacht Levante, owned by Clifford V. Brokaw of New York, which sailed from here Saturday for New York has arrived at Newport several days overdue. A report had been circulated that she was lost.

Many from here attended "The Girl of the Emerald Isle" at Music Hall, Portsmouth, on Tuesday evening.

Tugs Portsmouth and Piscataqua, with a dredging fleet in tow from Boston for Cape Porpoise, harbored here Monday night.

Schooner Governor Powers has sailed from Baltimore with coal for the port.

A new steel ceiling is being placed in the postoffice. The work, which will greatly improve the interior of the building, is being done by G. F. Colby.

George H. Young, the navy yard workman who was so terribly injured by a fall Tuesday, has the sincere sympathy of hundreds of fellow workmen in this town, by whom he is known and liked.

Ralph E. Gannett returned today from a visit in Baldwin, Me.

The Sheels steamer Mary Anne can her last trip over the route Tuesday evening. Today she returns to her home port, Portland.

For the first time in two weeks the Kittery Point navy yard workmen on Tuesday afternoon were given a special car for the home-ward trip and were not obliged to crowd onto an already loaded car to the extreme discomfort of all on board.

Milshippian Louis E. Fagan, U. S. N., is at his home in Germantown, Pa., and will arrive at his mother's summer home here in about a week to finish the furlough being enjoyed by all the middies this month.

### A FEW QUESTIONS

Where is the Democratic campaign banner and the new Republican flag?

How many good strong local laborers are working on the playground?

Has anybody seen the picture of the new depot on souvenir post cards?

Who has the fastest horse in the town?

When will the paper mill ever get busy?

Will any of the local street railway employees ever be pensioned?

Who is going to be the winner in the Marathon race?

Did anybody ever tell you there was an elevator in the custom house?

Has anybody in this city sent any congratulations to Congressman Lilley in his fight for governor of Connecticut?

Who is robbing the motor boats along the shores of Kittery and New Castle?

Has the dream of a new city hall passed for ever?

Have the police put a stop to all the breaks in town?

Will that raffle for a lot of land at the Creek ever come off?

Will the Portsmouth city fathers ever challenge the Dover city government to a baseball game?

### WARD FIVE OPENING UP

The Democratic voters of Ward Five are requested to meet in the ward room on Friday evening, Sept. 4, at 7.30 o'clock to elect delegates to the several conventions and transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

Per Order,  
Chairman Ward Committee.

### PERSONALS

Ex-Governor Frank W. Rollins was in town today.

Mrs. Alice Cassidy is passing a few days in Boston.

Frank Simms was in Boston on Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Margaret Mulligan is visiting friends in Boston.

Mr. P. E. Pratt of Montreal, is the guest of friends in this city.

Pay Director James A. Rieg, U. S. N., passed Tuesday in Boston on business.

Col. W. E. Storer and family have returned from a month's outing at York Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Owen are the guests of Elton and Mrs. E. P. Kimball on Union street.

Mrs. Parker Simms of State street has returned home from a visit to relatives in England.

Mrs. Elizabeth Chandler of Langdon street passed Tuesday at York Beach and Ogunquit.

Mrs. James Douglass and daughter of Atkinson street are visiting friends in Newburyport.

J. E. Whalley, clerk in the government service at Bath, Me., is visiting his home in this city for a week.

Mrs. John G. Tawressey and children have joined Naval Constructor Tawressey at the navy yard, arriving today.

J. M. Coleman, the well known cigar dealer, formerly of this city but now of Boston, is renewing acquaintances here.

Reverend Adm. M. L. Johnson, U. S. N., and family have returned from Sanapee, where they have been spending the summer.

Mrs. William Scabary of White Plains, with her children, are the guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Hovey on State street.

### FUNERAL OF MRS. ALBERTS

The funeral of Mrs. Elena Alberts took place this morning from the Church of the Immaculate Conception, where Rev. Fr. Edward J. Walsh offered requiem mass in memory of the departed. Her remains were taken to Rollinsford for interment.

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 Fred Abrams, Kittery, Me.  
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 J. H. Macy, Kittery, Me.  
 Augusta Goggles, Kittery, Me.  
 Fred H. Marden, Kittery Point, Me.  
 Arthur Seawards, Kittery Point, Me.  
 W. F. Cousins, Ogunquit, Me.  
 H. O. Moulton, Wells Corner, Me.

MINIATURE ALMANAC  
SEPTEMBER 2.

SUN RISES 5:51. MOON SETS 10:10 P.M.  
 SUN SETS 6:37. MOON RISES 4:51 A.M.  
 LENGTH OF DAY 14:22.

First Quarter, Sept. 24, 10. Moon, evening, 11.  
 Full Moon, Sept. 30, 7. 20. Morning, 11.  
 Last Quarter, Sept. 17, 11. 30. Morning, 11.  
 New Moon, Sept. 25, 11. 30. Morning, 11.

## THE WEATHER

A slight sprinkle at breakfast time and an overcast sky the rest of the time is what we have had thus far today. The mercury marked seventy-two degrees at two o'clock.

The weather bureau prediction is for rain.

## CITY BRIEFS

The young campaign flag is out once more.

Old Fellow's field day today at Manchester.

Things are coming slow for the fire department.

Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, 34 Congress street.

Come win a prize at Rand's Grove Labor day. Prizes for sports.

Will the veteran firemen do any more spitting for this season?

Matinee at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow, in Music Hall. The play is Peck's Bad Boy.

Business at the Morley Button Company has picked up considerably of late.

McDonough street is said to have lately produced some heavy hitting female pugilists.

The street department should by all means make some plan to fix up Daniel street.

The Ben Green players closed a two days' engagement at the Farnagut house yesterday.

Information regarding the sick at the Cottage Hospital is not given out as it should be.

Several short line passenger trains will be taken off on the Boston and Maine railroad next week.

A daughter, the fifth child, has been born to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Noel of Sherburne avenue.

"Stub" Malloy, the converted New York burglar, will speak at the Salvation Army meeting this evening.

Did you see James Murphy, the "starch factory poet", this morning on his walk half across the continent?

The programs are out for the state golf meeting Sept. 7-8, and the Portsmouth Athletic Club outing Sept. 10.

Peck's Bad Boy will be given a matinee performance in Music Hall at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow. It's by a good capable troupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Rowell of No. 3 Gardner street are happy over the coming of a third member of their family. The youngster is a boy.

## CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the friends, neighbors and relatives who assisted with many kind acts during the illness of Mrs. Elena Alberts and on the occasion of her death.

ALBERT ALBERTS,  
 MISS HONOR SULLIVAN,  
 ERMES SULLIVAN,  
 WILLIAM SULLIVAN,  
 JEREMIAH SULLIVAN,  
 MRS. EDWARD McELVEY.

## STILLINGS-GILBERT

Chester Stillings of Boston, Mass., and Miss Julia M. Gilbert of St. Albans, Vt., were married in this city Tuesday evening by Rev. Henry Emerson Hovey. The groom gave his occupation as mariner in the application for a marriage license.

PROGRAM FOR  
STATE GOLF MEET

Annual Meeting Sept. 7-8 with the  
 Portsmouth Country Club

The officials of the Portsmouth Country Club are sending out the official announcement that the New Hampshire State Golf Association has accepted an invitation to hold the annual meeting at the Portsmouth Country Club on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 7 and 8. As is customary a lunch will be served to members and guests at noon on the 7th.

Monday at 9:00 a. m. play will begin for the amateur championship: 18 holes medal play, to qualify three divisions at match play. First eight, championship and Rollins cup; second eight, president's cup; third eight, Portsmouth cup. At 2:00 p. m. will occur the first round 18 holes match play, in each division. For the team match members of teams must keep medal score of 36 holes, Monday.

On Tuesday at 9:00 a. m. will occur the second round 18 holes match play, each division. At 2:00 p. m. the finals, 18 holes match play, each division. Gold medal and Rollins cup to winner of championship, silver medal to runner up, president's cup to winner of second division, Portsmouth cup to winner of third division, pendant to winning team.

## THE P. A. C. OUTING

Details of the Plans for September  
 10 at Rand's Grove

The members of the Portsmouth Athletic Club's committee on outing—J. W. Newell, W. J. Cater, B. M. Burke, E. P. Lawrence, C. E. Traiton, Ralph Walker, P. W. Tilton and W. H. Page, have issued the following announcement:

The twenty-third anniversary of the Portsmouth Athletic Club occurs on Thursday Sept. 11. It was voted at the August meeting to celebrate the occasion by an outing at Rand's Grove to be carried out on the same general plan as in the past few years.

A shore dinner will be served about one thirty o'clock, after which the annual ball game between the

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single and married men takes place, for which active preparations have been in progress for several weeks. There will also be various sports for prizes both before and after the game.

Members will report at the club house at twelve o'clock, from which place we shall march, accompanied by a band, to Market square, there board the electric and proceed to Rye. Arriving at the Cable road we will disembark and continue the line of march to our destination. You are particularly urged to be at the club house and participate in the grand march to the cars whether or not you intend taking passage at that time, as we are desirous of presenting as creditable an appearance as possible.

The return will be made about seven o'clock, breaking ranks at the club house, where there will be an entertainment and a light lunch served during the evening.

## POLICE COURT

There was a full in police court today and only one trunk was called before the tribunal. The visitor was John Sullivan of Ipswich, who pleaded guilty to drunkenness. The court released him on a promise that he get back quickly to the clam digging industry in his home town.

## CRUISING LAUNCH DISABLED

The cruising naphtha yacht Emphebia became disabled by losing her rudder off York Ledges yesterday and was towed into this port by Capt. John Jameson of the auxiliary ship Arthur M. The Emphebia is owned by a Gloucester party.

## PERSONALS

William P. Pickett is on a business trip to Manchester today.

Mrs. Wilbur Shaw was taken to the Cottage Hospital for treatment on Tuesday.

Joseph Remick of South Elliot was in Portsmouth today, the first time in several months.

Miss Eva Fitching of Newington has returned to Ansonia, Conn., where she teaches grammar school.

Guy Smart, Jr., has entered the employ of the New England Telephone Company as operator at the central exchange.

Miss Mary E. Call of Pleasant street is spending a few weeks with the family of Edward Matthews on Lincoln Hill.

J. Wilson Hobbs, principal of the Portsmouth High school, is shaking hands with friends and answering questions about his European trip.

Living Davis of South Elliot, who clerked for Samuel Maddock and Son, is on a week's vacation. He is doing some boating and other recreations.

Thomas Cordon, Thomas Ruxton and John Desmond are attending the convention of the United Spanish American War Veterans in Boston today.

Mr. Green and family, who have resided at the Preston house on Rockland street during the summer, will leave for Baltimore the first of October.

Augustus P. Simpson and Benjamin P. Burke are on a fishing trip to Great East Lake, Sanbornville. They promised to bring back an abundance of trophies of their skill with hook and line.

WAS A NATIVE  
OF PORTSMOUTH

Widow of George E. Wentworth  
 Wants to Find Relatives

City Marshal Entwistle has received the following letter:

San Diego, Cal.,  
 Aug. 27, 1908.

Chief of Police of Portsmouth, N. H.  
 Dear Sir:—I write to you in hopes that you might be able to help me locate my late husband's people.

George E. Wentworth. He died last May. It was his request that his kith and kin be informed of his death.

His father's name was John Wentworth; his mother's Dolly Marsh Wentworth; brother, John Wentworth; sisters, Sarah A., wife of D. H. Spring, Aryanna Jenkins, all of Portsmouth, N. H.

If his brother or sisters are living I would like to hear from them. If you will assist me in this you will greatly oblige

MRS. L. WENTWORTH,  
 1119 State street,  
 San Diego, Cal.

Mrs. Wentworth sends also a copy of the San Diego Daily Union for May 7, containing this obituary notice:

The funeral of Captain George E. Wentworth, one of the pioneer figures of the water front, who died at his home, 119 State street, Tuesday, will take place this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the undertaking parlors of Johnson & Connell.

Captain Wentworth had resided in San Diego since 1869 and for the past 18 years was attached to the local customs office. He had many friends not only in this city but along the entire coast, as he was formerly a well known whaler and had been a sailor since 14 years of age. He was a direct descendant of Governor Wentworth of New Hampshire, who was prominent in the colonial history of that state.

Captain Wentworth is survived by a wife, who was formerly Miss Lucy Brown of Old Town, and one son, Albert, 14 years of age.

Mr. Entwistle does not know the parties referred to as relatives of the late Capt. Wentworth of San Diego, and in the short time for inquiry since the letter was received has not yet located anybody who does know them. Probably there are many of the older residents of

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this vicinity who will remember the Californian. The copy of the Union, which Marshal Entwistle has, contains an interesting picture of Captain Wentworth.

## THEY SAY IT SMELLS

The Ceres street sewer outlet into the waters at the ferry landing has been complained of to the board of health as a most unpleasant location for it.

At low tide the box terminals is exposed, making it very offensive to the many passengers on the steamers Kittery and Alice Howard. This condition is particularly bad in damp

weather and on the evening trips when the tide is out. The waiting room and the offices in the ferry building also suffer from the nuisance.

It is claimed that an extension of thirty feet into the water, if possible, would remedy the stench.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Samuel A. Corbitt

Died, in Roxbury, Mass., Aug. 29, Mrs. Emma Gordon Corbitt, wife of Samuel A. Corbitt and daughter of the late Thomas H. and Abby E. Odion of Portsmouth, aged forty-five years, three months and eighteen days.

## The Newlyweds==Their Baby

By George McManus

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